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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR POSITIONING OF MEDICAL TREATMENT DEVICES

OR TREATMENT SUPPORTING DEVICES

## COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

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- X The Declaration(s) is/are enclosed herewith. The above-identified application, on information and belief, is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the declaration(s) which sets forth the name(s) of the inventor(s) and the title of the invention.
- X The filing fee or balance thereof in the amount of \$ 355.00 is hereby being paid. The amount paid reflects entry of any accompanying preliminary amendment.

The surcharge for late filing of the declaration and/or paying the filing fee is:

\$130.00 for other than small entity.

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X small entity status claimed.

\_\_\_ verified statement previously filed.

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Charge Deposit Account No. 18-0988. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$135.

• The balance due by applicant is \$ 555.

- \$135 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
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